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REQUEST FOR

CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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| Application Number | 10/633,572 | | | |
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| Filing Date | August 5, 2003 | | | |
| First Named Inventor | KLEIN et al | | | |
| Group Art Unit | 1641 | | | |
| Examiner Name | Bao-Thuy L. Nguyen | | | |
| Attorney Docket Number | 2923-553 | | | |

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. See Instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2.

| 1. | Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 Note: if the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise. If applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, applicant must request non-entry of such amendment(s). a. Previously submitted | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| | | ii. Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | iii. Other b. Enclosed | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| | i. X Amendment/Reply | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | ii. Affidavit(s)/Declarations | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | iii. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| _ | iv. X Other - Request for Interview and request for a Three Month Extension of Time Miscellaneous | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| | a. | | 1.10 | 03 | pension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 3(c) for a period of months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee or 37 C.F.R. § 1.170(i) required.) | | | | | | | | | | |
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| 3. | | | | | | | | | 1.114 when the RCE is filed. | | | | | | |
| | a. X The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 02-2135. | | | | | | | | | or credit any overpayments, to | | | | | |
| | | i. | X | R | RCE | fee re | equire | ed un | der 3 | 37 C | .F. R. | § 1.17(e | ∍) | | |
| | | ii. | X | E | Exter | sion | of tim | e fee | (37 | C.F | .R. §§ | § 1.136 a | ınd 1.1 | 7) | |
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| | b. Check in the amount of \$ enclosed. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | c. | | Pay | ym | nent | by cr | edit c | ard (I | Form | ı PT | O-20 | 38 enclo | sed.) | | |
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| SI | SIGNATURE | | | | | U | 1 | C | L. | | Hil | £ | | DATE | November 14, 2005 |